

ABSTRACT

A cartridge comprises a container 11 for housing a connected staple, a driving section 21 for driving a staple, a conveying path 25 which extends from the container 11 to the driving section 21, and
5 conveys the connected staple, a feeding member 30 which is disposed in a position remote from a guide member 23 forming the conveying path 25, and reciprocates along the conveying path, feeding claws 31A, 31B having leading end portions which are attached to the feeding member 30, and project in the conveying path 25 from openings 23A, 23B formed
10 in the guide wall 23, and the connected staple being fed toward the driving section 21 by the feeding claws 31A, 31B when the feeding member 30 advances. The cartridge further comprises a link mechanism 50 for moving the feeding member 30 backward when a lid 13 of the container 11 is opened.